

Chafing Hives.

This troublesome skin affection is difficult to diagnose at the outset. Be on the safe side, therefore, and whenever the skin is irritated use Tyree's Antiseptic Powder immediately and avoid further trouble. 25c. at druggists. Sample sent free by J. S. Tyree, Chemist, Washington, D. C.—Adv.

Naturally.

"This is a shady business."
"What is?"
"This one of providing people with family trees."

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic, 25c. a bottle.

Didn't Know Where to Stop.

"The great men are all dead," she said, with evident regret.

"But the beautiful women are not," he replied, looking earnestly at her.

"Of course," she added, after a moment's reflection, "I always except present company."

"So do I," he said.

Then she asked if he would be good enough to conduct her to her husband.

—Judge.

ECZEMA BURNED AND ITCHED

203 Walnut St., Hillsboro, Ill.—"My child had a breaking out on the lower limbs which developed into eczema. The eczema began with pimples which contained yellow corruption and from the child's clothing they were greatly irritated. They seemed to burn, which made the child scratch them, resulting in a mass of open places. They made her so cross and fretful that it was impossible to keep her quiet. They caused her to lose much sleep and she was constantly tormented by severe itching and burning.

"I tried several well-known remedies, but got no relief until I got a sample of Cuticura Soap and Ointment, which did so much good that I got a large quantity that cured her in ten days after she had been affected for two months." (Signed) Mrs. Edith Schwartz, Feb. 28, 1913.

Cuticura Soap and Ointment sold throughout the world. Sample of each free, with 32-p. Skin Book. Address postcard "Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston."—Adv.

Doctor's Dues.

"The world owes a great deal to medical science."

"And it will be the last debt paid," declared the doctor somewhat bitterly.

Astonishing Coiffures.

Coiffures are to be high again, but not so high as in the past. Formerly doorways had to be heightened to accommodate the eighteenth century woman of fashion. Marie Antoinette's hairdresser had to mount a stool in order to get above his work. Women of that time had to kneel in their coaches to get their heads covered inside, or drive with their heads out of the windows. Mme. de Genlis was caught by her hair while hastening to greet Voltaire at Ferny, but escaped Absalom's fate, her hair remaining on the bough. And the Duchess de Chartres had room on her hair one evening for a miniature man-of-war in full sail, on another for a representation of her little son, Louis Philippe, sleeping in the lap of his nurse.

Plans to Live as Savage.

To prove that the people of the twentieth century need not be slaves to civilization, convention, Joseph Knowles, a Boston painter of outdoor life, plans to plunge into the wilderness of northern Maine this month without clothing, food, matches, firearms or ammunition.

He promises to stay there until October 1, to subsist on fish, game, berries and wild vegetables and to come out fully clothed. He will live 50 or 60 miles away from any settlement, and will accept no help from the outside world.

Knowles will make his own fire by friction; will build a log cabin from material he finds in the woods, and will make traps out of what he discovers in the practically unexplored northern part of the Pine Tree state.

CUBS' FOOD

They Thrive on Grape-Nuts.

Healthy babies don't cry and the well-nourished baby that is fed on Grape-Nuts is never a crying baby. Many babies who cannot take any other food relish the perfect food, Grape-Nuts, and get well.

"My baby was given up by three doctors who said that the condensed milk on which I had fed her had ruined the child's stomach. One of the doctors told me that the only thing to do would be to try Grape-Nuts, so I got some and prepared it as follows: I soaked 1½ tablespoonsful in one pint of cold water for half an hour, then I strained off the liquid and mixed 12 teaspoonfuls of this strained Grape-Nuts juice with six teaspoonfuls of rich milk, put in a pinch of salt and a little sugar, warmed it and gave it to baby every two hours.

"In this simple, easy way I saved baby's life and have built her up to a strong, healthy child, rosy and laughing. The food must certainly be perfect to have such a wonderful effect as this. I can truthfully say I think it is the best food in the world to raise delicate babies on and is also a delicious healthful food for grown-ups as we have discovered in our family."

Grape-Nuts is equally valuable to the strong, healthy man or woman. It stands for the true theory of health. "There's a reason," and it is explained in the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

HANDY SOLDER OUTFIT

Kit Will Prove Profitable to All Practical Farmers.

No Investment Can Be Made That Will Pay Percentage of Profit—Best for Beginner to Make His Start With Wire.

(By E. B. TUTTLE.)

There is probably no investment the farmer can make that will pay the percentage of profit that a soldering kit will. Reduced to its lowest terms a solder can be bought for 25 cents, acid 5 cents, solder wire 10 cents.

It will be better, however, to buy two coffers, one and one-half or three-quarter pounds each, which should not cost more than 75 cents per pair. Using two one can be heating while the other is in use.

The acid is muriatic in which dissolve a little zinc. For the beginner probably it will be found handier to use the solder in the form of a wire, though later a bar will be found to be convenient.

Having secured the outfit the first thing is to "tin" the point. To do this file the beveled surfaces down bright and heat in the stove (gas, gasoline, wood or coal) until it is hot enough to melt the solder.

Then with a small, flat stick smear the surfaces with the acid and rub the end of the solder over them.

If it does not melt freely get the coffer hotter. After tinning the point try not to get it so hot it will burn off; in case you do, however, retin by the same process.

If the tinning is not on the solder will not pick up solder nor melt it freely.

For a starter let us try a leaky pan. Sandpaper, or scrape clean around the hole and smear with acid. Take the coffer properly heated and set the point on the hole, applying the solder. Watch and see it run freely (you can tell at once if it fuses properly) and remove the coffer.

If the coffer gets cold take the other one which should also be in the fire. The work may be done equally well inside the pan.

If the hole is too large cut a small piece of tin and put over the hole, having first used the acid on both patch and pan. Put the coffer on top of the patch and when sufficiently hot run the end of the solder wire around the patch. It should melt readily. Hold down with the coffer or stick until the solder runs.

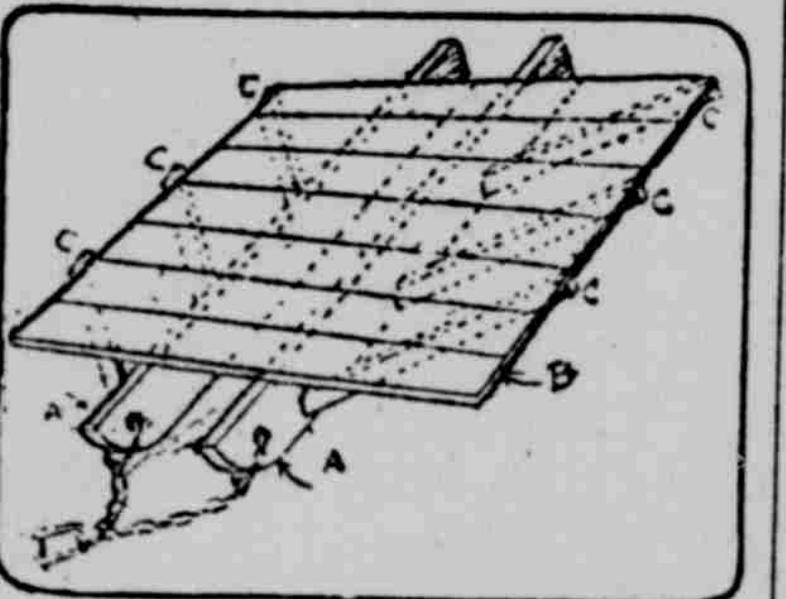
This briefly, is the problem of soldering. Other applications will be readily solved once one is familiar with the tools.

Most metals can be soldered, not, however, cast iron or aluminum. In the case of galvanized iron or zinc, use muriatic acid straight. As more skill is acquired you will be able to pick up solder on the point of the coffer when you can buy solder by the bar.

WORKING THE LISTED CORN

Sled Shown in Illustration May Be Used for First Time Over—Useful and Practical.

The illustration shows a home-made sled which we use for working listed corn the first time over. The runners are of 2 by 8 plank, six feet long. They are placed eight inches apart and a solid floor nailed over them. The floor is wide enough to reach to the middle of the ridge on each side. Six 2 by 4's



Sled for Listed Corn.

are then nailed from the base of the runners to the outer edge of the floor on either side. These are placed in a position at right angles with each other, says a writer in the Denver Weekly Post. This sled can be made in a few minutes and you will find it both useful and practical.

Protect From Flies.

Remember that it takes as much energy and feed to fight flies as it does to grow a calf. Then will it not pay to cut out the flies by giving the calves access to a dark stable or shed, and also apply a little "fly dope."

You may rest assured that they will grow and lay on flesh twice as fast from now on if they are afforded a means of thus protecting themselves than they otherwise could possibly do.

Bush Fruit Easy to Raise.

Blackberries and raspberries will thrive on almost any soil and under a variety of conditions. It is comparatively easy to propagate them, so there is little excuse for not having a small garden patch of this fine fruit.

Bad Practices.

Too much forcing in a young pig is sure to cause a breaking down in the feet, and too free a use of corn is apt to produce the same result.

Mistake in Hogs.

Mistakes in pig feeding are costly. In the short life of the pig there is little time to correct mistakes.

HOUDAN FOWL IS ECONOMIC

Not Only Is It Excellent Table Breed, but Is Also Good Layer of Eggs and Nonsitter.

Of all the French breeds the Houdan is undoubtedly the most economic. Not only is it a good table breed when judged by the quality of its flesh, but it is an excellent layer of good sized white eggs, and is a nonsitter. Newer breeds of fowls which have been introduced during recent years have rather overshadowed it, but few if any of these can lay claim to superiority over it in utility points.

No doubt the crest had much to do with the decline suffered by the Houdan, many poultry keepers not caring for crested fowls, owing to the fact that in wet weather the head ornaments got saturated and caused colds among the birds, but a little consideration for them in the way of shelter during periods of rain would have minimized any prejudice against them concerning wet crests and colds.

When the Houdan stood high in popular favor there were fewer or no scratching-sheds in existence, and they either had to face the weather, when such was inclement, or idle about the interior of the roosting house, and no wonder many birds, and especially the crested ones, often got saturated with rain and caught cold and contracted poultry. Today every well arranged

or day shelters to which the fowls can resort in bad weather, and on that account the Houdan might be given a better position than it now occupies among utility poultry. The crest of the Houdan is an advantage rather than a disadvantage, inasmuch as it guards the head of the bird against the severest frost during the winter time, and thus it improves the fowl as a winter layer. Rightly bred, fed and sheltered the Houdan is a good winter egg producer.

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Valuable Weed Eradicator.

Probably no animal is so valuable as a weed eradicator as the sheep. They not only eat a large variety of weeds and grasses, but they masticate so thoroughly that almost all the seeds are destroyed or digested, and do not sprout from the manure.

Important Consideration.

The ability of an ewe to properly nourish her lamb is one of the most important considerations in selecting breeding stock.

Secure Good-Sized Lambs.

It is generally conceded that if the ewes are in good condition at mating time a larger proportion of twin lambs can be secured.

ORIGIN OF THE SHIP SCREW

Dismantled Bark Was Propelled to Port by Entangled Whale, According to Story.

Johann van den Broeck, who arrived the other day from Java on his way home to Zaandam, Holland, to see his family, said that his grandfather, Cornelius van den Broeck, was the first man to have the idea of screw propellers for steamships instead of side wheels.

"It was in 1838, I have been told," said Mr. van den Broeck at the Waldorf-Astoria, the New York Times says, "that my grandfather commanded a stout old Dutch bark of 900 tons, sailing from Amsterdam to the East Indies. The Groote Marie she was called. In trying to weather the Cape of Good Hope the bark was dismantled, and, like the Flying Dutchman of Vanderdecken, it looked as if the Groote Marie would spend her days to the crack of doom trying to get around to the Indian ocean on her way to Java. One stormy afternoon the bark was suddenly rocked by a crashing blow on her high square wooden stern.

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Proper Kind.

"What kind of a pet dog has that aviator?"
"A Skye terrier, of course."

Mean Hint.

"That was a strong scene, my dear; it nearly took my breath away."
"I noticed your breath was still stronger, my dear."

Signs.

Billy—Do you believe in signs?
Milly—Yes, indeed.
Billy—Well, last night I dreamed you were madly in love with me. What is that a sign of?
Milly—That's a sign you were dreaming.

Not Going to Waste It.

Young Man (whispering to jeweler)—That engagement ring I bought of you yesterday—
Jeweler—What's the matter with it? Didn't it fit?
Young Man (cautiously)—Sh! It didn't have a chance. Gimme studs for it.

Important to Mothers.

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. F. H. H. H.* In Use For Over 30 Years. Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

To Get Father's Consent.

"Sir," began the young man nervously, "I wish to ask your consent for my marriage with your daughter."
"Eh?" quickly rejoined the parent. "What of your income? Is it sufficient to support a wife?"
"It is," boldly returned the slightly nettled aspirant; "and, what is more, it's sufficient to stand an occasional touch from my wife's father!"
"Then she's yours, my son!"

After This He Went.

It was getting very late, and the dear girl had smothered yawn after yawn. Still Mr. Staylate showed no signs of going home. Father wound up the clock. Mother let the cat out, and still he stayed and stayed.
"Won't you sing something, Miss Minnie?" he suddenly asked.
"Why, Mr. Staylate," she replied, with another yawn, "don't you know it is considered unlucky to sing before breakfast?"

Bees Addicted to "Dope."

Just add this one to all the queer things that have happened in the year of grace 1913 and believe it's true, because W. E. Baker, deputy auditor of the state of Ohio, says he can prove it.

The honey bees near Fostoria, which is Baker's home town, have contracted the opium habit. Like the Chinese, they get theirs from the poppy. Baker and many other residents of Fostoria grow oriental poppies.

The bees have found this out, and of late they are leaving acres of clover blossoms to hunt out the poppy beds. They work very vigorously for an hour or so and then fall to the ground apparently as stupefied as are opium smokers after "hitting the pipe."—Fostoria (Ohio) dispatch to New York Sun.

BACKACHE IS DISCOURAGING



"Every Picture Tells a Story"
Get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Harris had.

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Fred W. Harris, Jefferson, Ohio, says: "For ten years I suffered from kidney trouble. I had constant backache, showed symptoms of dropsy, and because so bad I was laid up in bed. After doctors had failed I began taking Doan's Kidney Pills. They cured me completely."

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Free Homestead

of 160 acres (and another as a pre-emption) in the newer districts and produce good crops. The crops are always good. The climate is excellent, schools and churches are convenient, towns are splendid, in either Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. Send for literature, the latest information, railway rates, etc., to GEO. W. AIRD, 215 Traction Terminal Building, Indianapolis, Ind. Canadian Government Agents, or address Superintendent of Immigration, Ottawa, Canada.

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